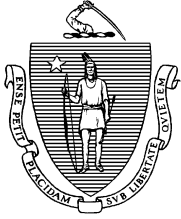


# SENATE, No. 2659

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts



IN THE YEAR OF TWO THOUSAND AND SEVEN

### **AN ACT** RELATIVE TO THE RETIREMENT BENEFITS OF EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIANS

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled,  
And by the authority of the same, as follows:*

- 1    **SECTION 1.** Paragraph (g) of subdivision (2) of section 3 of chapter 32 of the General Laws,  
2    as appearing in the 2006 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting, after line 307, the  
3    following new paragraph:-
- 4    Any municipality may elect to place in Group 4 uniformed employees of a municipal or public  
5    emergency medical service who are certified at any level as an Emergency Medical Technician  
6    (EMT) by the department of public health. This placement of such EMTs into Group 4 shall  
7    take effect in a municipality upon its acceptance in the following manner: in a city having Plan  
8    D or a Plan E charter, by majority vote of its city council and approved by the manager; in any  
9    other city by majority vote of the city council and approved by the mayor; in a town, by vote of

10 the board of selectmen. A municipality's acceptance of such EMTs into Group 4 may be  
11 revoked in the same manner it was accepted.